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10 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
11 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, WESTERN DIVISION**

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13 URSULA BYRAM, S.B. by and
14 through guardian ad litem TIMOTHY
15 BYRAM, N.B. by and through guardian
16 ad litem TIMOTHY BYRAM, and A.B.
17 by and through guardian ad litem
18 KAITLYN HUMENCHUK,
19 individually and as successors-in-
20 interest to Everett Byram,

21 Plaintiffs,

22 v.

23 COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES,
24 BLAKE RUNGE, and BRENDA
25 ALCANTARA,

26 Defendants.

Case No. 2:23-cv-09285-KS

**JOINT STATUS REPORT RE
STATUS OF SETTLEMENT**

[Assigned to Hon. Karen L. Stevenson,
Courtroom 580]

27 **TO THIS HONORABLE COURT:**

28 Defendants, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, DEPUTY BLAKE RUNGE
(#626632) and DEPUTY BRENDA ALCANTARA(#606061) and Plaintiffs
URSULA BYRAM, S.B. by and through guardian ad litem TIMOTHY BYRAM,
N.B. by and through guardian ad litem TIMOTHY BYRAM, and A.B. by and

1 through guardian ad litem KAITLYN HUMENCHUK, individually and as
2 successors-in-interest to Everett Byram (“Parties”) jointly, submit this status report
3 in response to the Court's August 25, 2025, order setting a telephonic status
4 conference for November 24, 2025.

5 **RECITALS**

6 1. On January 15, 2025, the Parties filed a Notice of Settlement requesting
7 that the Court vacate all dates in the case.

8 2. On January 16, 2025, the Court issued an Order vacating all dates and
9 instructing the Parties to file a joint stipulation for dismissal within 90 days.

10 3. The Parties fully executed the settlement agreement on January 22,
11 2025.

12 4. The settlement is conditioned upon the approval by the relevant Los
13 Angeles County boards, including the Los Angeles County Claims Board and the
14 Board of Supervisors. The process of obtaining approvals from the Los Angeles
15 County Claims Board and Board of Supervisors is expected to take 12 months from
16 the date the settlement agreement is fully executed by the parties.

17 5. The Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors has established
18 protocols in lawsuits. Where the liability of the settlement or judgment exceeds
19 \$100,000, a Corrective Action Plan (CAP) (a confidential document) and a
20 Summary Corrective Action Plan (SCAP) (a public record) must be produced.

21 6. After the subject settlement agreement was fully executed, the
22 settlement moved on to the CAP phase. The CAP process involves several steps in
23 its preparation, including investigation, drafting, and revisions, followed by
24 approval of multiple levels of LASD personnel. The County is in the CAP process
25 phase of the approvals process.

26 7. Once the final review and signatures are completed in the CAP process,
27 the matter will be placed on the agenda for approval by the Claims Board.

28 8. After approval by the Claims Board, the matter will typically go before

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the Board of Supervisors within approximately 60 days. After the County Board of Supervisors' approval, the settlement documents and Plaintiffs' payment instructions will be submitted to the Los Angeles County Auditor-Controller, and then the settlement payment will be issued.

9. The Claims Board approval process is proceeding as anticipated and should be finalized within the projected 12 month timeline.

10. The Parties request the Court allow additional time for the settlement approval process to proceed.

11. Accordingly, the Parties request that the Court set a status conference in approximately six (6) months so that the parties may update the Court regarding the status of the approval of the settlement.

DATED: November 17, 2025

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